# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No. ASA-0016

Application No. 10/712,070-Conf. #7914

Filing Date November 13, 2003

Examiner J. M. Krause Art Unit 3682

Applicant(s): Kotaro KASHIYAMA et al.

Invention: BEARING FOR RECIPROCATORY SLIDING

#### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present		Rate	
Total Claims	6	- 20 =	0	х	50.00	0.00
Independent Claims	1	- 3 =	0	X	200.00	0.00
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:						0.00
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x No additional fee is required for this amendment.						
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For: CYLINDRICAL-SHAPED BEARING FOR RECIPROCATORY SLIDING

#### AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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#### I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated December 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-3 and 6-8 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 4 and 5 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

# II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

### III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)